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DIALOG(R)File 155:MEDLINE(R)

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Telomerase reverse transcriptase mRNA expression and telomerase activity in hepatocellular carcinoma.

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Journal of gastroenterology (JAPAN) Feb 1999, 34 (1) p83-7, ISSN 0944-1174 Journal Code: 9430794

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Human telomerase reverse transcriptase (hTERT) has been identified as the catalytic subunit of human telomerase. To clarify the clinical significance of hTERT mRNA in hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC), we investigated the relationship between telomerase activity and hTERT mRNA in human HCC and non-HCC tissues. The hTERT mRNA was detected in 17 (89.47%) of 19 livers with HCC and in 4 (21.05%) of 19 noncancerous tissues from these livers. Telomerase activity was detected in 17 of the 19 tumor tissues (89.47%) and in 4 of the 19 nontumor tissues (21.05%). The hTERT mRNA was detected in all tissues that were telomerase-positive and it was undetected in all tissues that were telomerase-negative. The correlation between the expression of hTERT mRNA and human telomerase activity in this study indicates that hTERT mRNA could be useful to diagnose cancer. Also, as telomerase production may be under the control of hTERT mRNA, the possibility is great that noncancerous liver tissue with chronic liver diseases acquires HCC when the hTERT mRNA is positive.

Tags: Comparative Study; Female; Human; Male

Descriptors: \*Carcinoma, Hepatocellular--enzymology--EN; \*Liver Neoplasms--enzymology--EN; \*RNA, Messenger--biosynthesis--BI; \*Telomerase--genetics--GE; Adult; Carcinoma, Hepatocellular--genetics--GE; Carcinoma, Hepatocellular--pathology--PA; DNA Probes--chemistry--CH; DNA, Neoplasm--analysis--AN; Liver Neoplasms--genetics--GE; Liver Neoplasms--pathology--PA; Middle Age; Severity of Illness Index; Telomerase--metabolism--ME; Tumor Cells, Cultured; Tumor Markers, Biological; alpha-Fetoproteins--metabolism--ME

CAS Registry No.: 0 (DNA Probes); 0 (DNA, Neoplasm); 0 (RNA, Messenger); 0 (Tumor Markers, Biological); 0 (alpha-Fetoproteins)

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DIALOG(R)File 155:MEDLINE(R)

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Levels of telomerase catalytic subunit mRNA as a predictor of potential malignancy.

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International journal of oncology (GREECE) Apr 1999, 14 (4) p727-32,  
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This study investigated the relationship between the levels of human telomerase reverse transcriptase (hTERT) mRNA and that of telomerase activity in hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC). A significant correlation between hTERT mRNA expression and telomerase activity by transfecting the gene encoding hTERT into telomerase-negative human fibroblast cells has clearly been demonstrated. However, the relationship between levels of telomerase activity and that of hTERT mRNA has yet to be elucidated. In this study, the levels of hTERT mRNA were analyzed in 24 HCC patients by real-time PCR. And the intensity of telomerase activity was analyzed by fluorescence-based TRAP method. The difference of hTERT mRNA level was highly significant between tumor tissues and non-cancerous liver tissues. And there were significant correlations between the levels of hTERT mRNA and that of telomerase activity ( $r=0.751$ ) in tumor tissues. We observed a strong correlation between levels of hTERT mRNA and that of telomerase activity in HCC. Our results suggest that the levels of hTERT mRNA would be useful in genetic diagnostic tests, instead of telomerase activity, to screen at-risk patients of HCC in human liver tissues.

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DIALOG(R)File 155:MEDLINE(R)

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Ki-67 expression as a prognostic marker in patients with hepatocellular carcinoma.

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Journal of gastroenterology and hepatology (AUSTRALIA) Mar 1998, 13 (3) p273-9, ISSN 0815-9319 Journal Code: 8607909

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Ki-67 expression in tumours has been shown to be associated with prognosis in patients with hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC). In this study, primary HCC samples were obtained from 67 patients undergoing surgical resection. None of these patients had been subjected previously to any

other form of therapy, such as arterial embolization or chemotherapy. Histologically normal liver tissues from liver resection for metastatic colon cancer were taken as controls (n = 8). Monoclonal antibody against Ki-67 was used for immunostaining and flow cytometry was used to measure tumour DNA ploidy. The mean Ki-67 labelling index (percentage of Ki-67-positive cells) of the HCC (26 +/- 22%; range 0.1-89%) was significantly higher than that of the normal controls (39 +/- 0.8%,  $P < 0.05$ ). The mean Ki-67 labelling index (19 +/- 15%; n = 28) of the tumours with diploid DNA pattern was significantly lower than those with aneuploid DNA pattern (32 +/- 25%, n = 39;  $P = 0.01$ ). Hepatocellular carcinoma patients (n = 47) with Ki-67 index > 10% had a significantly lower disease-free and overall survival than those (n = 20) with Ki-67 index  $\leq$  10% ( $P = 0.0009$  and  $P = 0.02$ , respectively). Multivariate analysis showed that Ki-67 expression and tumour node metastasis stage were two independent prognostic factors for disease-free and overall survival rates. Our results suggest that the expression of Ki-67 is an independent prognostic indicator for patients with HCC after resection and could be of assistance in the decision-making of adjuvant therapy.

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